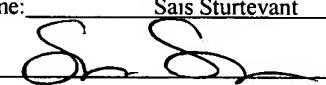


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Applicant hereby petitions to make this application special because applicant is over 65 years of age.

As a showing of this fact, accompanying this petition is a declaration by the Applicant that he is over 65 years of age.

No fee is required with this petition, in accordance with 37 CFR § 1.102(c).

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The undersigned declarant, Kenneth J. Sclager declares that he is an Applicant/Inventor of a patent application entitled ELECTROIONIC PROCESSING SYSTEM, filed herewith and that he is over 65 years of age.

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